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## TRANSMITTAL AND REQUEST TO EXTEND

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment.

This is also a Request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the three-month response date by two months from November 16, 2004 to January 18, 2005 (since January 16 was a Sunday and January 17 was a USPTO holiday (Martin Luther King Day)).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the appropriate fee \$450.00 (for the two-month extension) to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Commissioner is also authorized, as appropriate and/or necessary, to charge any additional fees (including any Rule 136(a) extension fees) or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for that purpose.

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